



# The In Touch

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*Our Mission: To Seek, Know, Love and Serve Christ in all Persons and in all Creation*

## From the Liturgist.....

The liturgy committee met some time ago to plan for Lent and the Easter season. This year we had a unique set of circumstances—we were going to be without a priest for Palm Sunday. Much discussion followed as to what we could or should do. Palm Sunday is one of my favorite Sundays. I didn't want to give up any part of it —The Liturgy of the Palms, the Liturgy of the Word, receiving our palm branches, and just the pure joy you feel being with your brothers and sisters in Christ after a very long cold, snowy and covid plagued winter, and knowing that spring is soon to be— and that the next Sunday we would be celebrating the resurrection of Jesus and all that that means to us as Christians and believers.

So, what to do? We are blessed to have an arch deacon in our midst— Lee Grim—who frequently has the ear of Bishop Loya. We decided to ask Deacon Lee to write a letter to Bishop Loya to ask permission for us to use from the Reserved Sacraments for Eucharistic on Palm Sunday. No one wanted a Palm Sunday without Eucharist.

Yesterday (March 3rd as I write this) Lee received an answer from the Bishop. We would not be using the Reserved Sacrament; Better than that, he had a priest, Reverend Canon Blair Pogue, newly appointed as Canon for Vitality and Innovation for the ECMN. And she would love to come and celebrate Palm Sunday with us! God truly does work in wonderful ways!

Following is an excerpt from Bishop Loya's message on [Episcopalm.org](http://Episcopalm.org) web site announcing Reverend Canon Pogue's appointment and her acceptance to this position. I write this so she will be at least somewhat familiar to you come Palm Sunday!

“Reverend Canon Pogue began her duties at ECMN January 24th. Before that she spent 16 years as rector of St. Matthews in St. Paul. She has served in both rural and urban churches. She has written extensively in the areas of vitality and innovation and has served as a coach in the Missional Leadership Cohort for Episcopal clergy at Luther Seminary. She is a widely recognized and consulted as a leader in these areas, not only in our church, but ecumenically. Most importantly she brings a deep and daily commitment to abiding in the Person of Jesus, and has a passion for reaching those outside the church walls”.

I hope this gives you a little insight who will be into who will be celebrating and preaching on Palm Sunday, and makes you eager and excited to hear her. I know I am!

Hoping to see you not only Palm Sunday but every Sunday! Happy spring!

*Georgeann Wright*

Liturgist/ Pastoral care



Lent Midweek Worship  
@ Zion Lutheran  
Wednesday 7 pm  
April 6th



- 4/ ~ Andrew Kennedy
- 4/ ~ Andy Wright
- 4/ ~ Emma Mattsen
- 4/ ~ Randy Mattsen
- 4/ ~ Bradley Davison
- 4/ ~ Bill T. Corrin
- 4/ ~ Heather O'Kane
- 4/ ~ Donna Day
- 4/ ~ Angie Tusler (Davison)



- 4/1 ~ Madalynn & Thatcher  
Jenkinson
- 4/1 ~ Melanie & Gage Waskul
- 4/14 ~ Jay Noland
- 4/15 ~ Ladd Corrin
- 4/17 ~ Karen Walls
- 4/19 ~ Willie B. Corrin



- 4/29 ~ Emily & Adam Rasmussen

***Watch Holy Trinity Services Livestream***  
*Service bulletin is on our website: [www.ifhtec.org](http://www.ifhtec.org)*  
*On Facebook: Sundays @ 10:00 am*



# April '22 Sunday Service Lay Responsibilities

Dates	Celebrants	Acolytes	Lectors & Lessons	Greeters
<p>3</p> <p><b>Holy Eucharist</b> 10:00 am 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent</p>	<p>Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacons: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen</p>	<p>Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen</p>	<p>Gavia Yount or Linnaea Yount Lee Grim</p>	
<p>10</p>  <p><b>Holy Eucharist</b> 10:00 am Palm Sunday</p>	<p>Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacons: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen</p>	<p>Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen</p>	<p>Gavia Yount or Linnaea Yount Lee Grim</p>	
<p>14</p> <p><b>Holy Eucharist</b> 7:00 pm Maundy Thursday</p>	<p>Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacons: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen</p>	<p>Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen</p>	<p>Gavia Yount or Linnaea Yount Lee Grim</p>	
<p>17</p>  <p><b>Holy Eucharist</b> 10:00 am Easter Sunday</p>	<p>Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacon: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen</p>	<p>Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen</p>	<p>Gavia Yount or Linnaea Yount Lee Grim</p>	
<p>24</p> <p><b>Holy Eucharist</b> 10:00 pm 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter</p>	<p>Rev. Dr. Samantha Crossley Deacon: Lee Grim or Melanie Mattsen</p>	<p>Lee Grim Or Melanie Mattsen</p>	<p>Gavia Yount or Linnaea Yount Lee Grim</p>	



# April 2022



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2 Altar Guild
						Georgeann
3	4	5	6	7	8	9 Altar Guild
Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m.			Lenten Service @ Zion Lutheran 7:00 pm			Georgeann
10	11	12	13	14	15	16 Altar Guild
 Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m.		Vestry meeting 7:30 pm		Maundy Thursday Service 7:00 pm		Carolyn & Molly
17	18	19	20	21	22	23 Altar Guild
 Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m.	Newsletter Deadline (?????)					Carolyn & Molly
24	25	26	27	28	29	30 Altar Guild
Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m.						Tricia

